

REMARKS

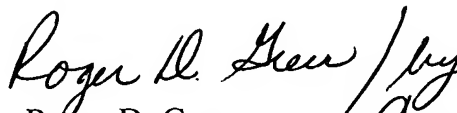

The office action has been carefully considered together with the newly cited prior art and amendments have been made to claims 12 and 21 in an effort to place the application in condition for immediate allowance.

More particularly, claims 12 and 21 have been amended as suggested by the examiner to more accurately reflect proper antecedent bases for the term recess in the various elements of the claim.

For all of the foregoing reasons, applicants submit that all pending claims in this application are in condition for allowance, which is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney if an interview would expedite prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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